

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA  
ASHEVILLE DIVISION  
1:16cv281**

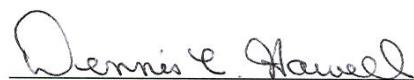
**BRIAN BENNETT, on behalf of himself )  
and all others similarly situated, )  
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Plaintiffs, )  
  )  
v. )  
  )  
**LUMBER LIQUIDATORS, INC.,** )  
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**Defendant.** )  
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**ORDER**

Pending before the Court is the Joint Motion to Stay [# 18]. Upon a review of the record, and for the reasons set forth in the Motion to Stay, the Court **GRANTS** the motion [# 18]. The Court **STAYS** these proceedings until a determination by the Judicial Panel on Multidistrict Litigation of a pending Motion for Transfer and Centralization of this and related actions. Either party may move to lift the stay upon a ruling by the Judicial Panel on Multidistrict Litigation.

Signed: September 23, 2016

  
Dennis L. Howell

Dennis L. Howell  
United States Magistrate Judge

